



**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Case No. 99,815)**

In the Application of: )  
Boby Joseph et al. )  
Serial No. 09/511,751 )  
Filed: February 24, 2000 )  
Title: Method and System for Network )  
Security Capable of Doing Stronger )  
Encryption with Authorized Devices )

Examiner: Lanier, Benjamin E.  
Group Art Unit: 2132

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

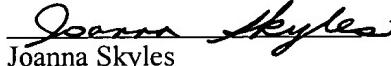
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a. Response to Office Action Mailed August 9, 2004; and
  - b. Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to additional fees:  
 Check in the amount of \$176.00 is enclosed.
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 9, 2004**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

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